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FISHERIES HRD PROGRAMME
LAKE VICTORIA**

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**Dockets Management Branch of FDA,
[HFA-305],
Room 1-23,
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Dear Sir / Madam

Accessing Fisheries HACCP Documentation

Reporting to the Directorate of Fisheries of the Government of Tanzania, the Commonwealth Secretariat has been commissioned to conduct a Human Resources Development assessment and to draft a five year Training plan to cover all aspects of the fishing Industry on Lake Victoria.

As an exporting nation, Tanzania wishes its fisheries operations to be of international standard and has adopted a HACCP based approach to Quality Assurance. A great deal must yet be done to train operatives within the private and public sector in effectively implementing such an approach however. In the past I have come across two related documents which would be of great benefit in this respect. They are ;

- **Fish and Fisheries Product Hazard and Control Guide : First Edition Sept 1996**
- **Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point Training Curriculum : Second Edition 1997**

I am however having great difficulty in sourcing these documents, or indeed, upgraded versions, and would very much appreciate your advice on whether they can be purchased, in US\$, through your offices. If not, could you advise which channel to follow to access these.

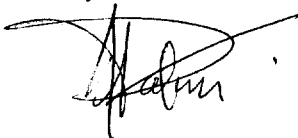
Within the US FDA, they are referred to by Docket No. 93N-0195.

I look forward to hearing from you. Unfortunately, I have no fax or e-mail address for your offices, which would facilitate communication, but I can be faxed at ;

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or at the above address. I thank you in anticipation.

Yours faithfully



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